ABSTRACT

An object of the invention is to provide a sound information output control circuit for outputting only sound information selected in the case where digital information or analog information is outputted as sound, from a speaker, thereby preventing sound from being outputted doubly and reducing the power consumption, and a display unit having the sound information output control circuit. A sound information conversion circuit, a sound information changeover circuit, a sound information adjustment circuit and an amplifier are grounded via switch circuits, and a D/A converter and an amplifier are grounded via a switch circuit. The switch circuits are connected to the CPU, and they are to turn ON or OFF in response to a signal from the CPU. When one of these switch circuits is allowed to turn ON appropriately in response to the signal from the CPU based on a selected sound output mode, thereby stopping the supply of power to a non-used circuit.